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1. [REDACTED] approximately 3000 NKPA troops were in mountains in the Wolgoktong (128-10, 36-06) area. An artillery lieutenant from that group announced that Taegu was to be captured [REDACTED] after which the troops were to move on Yongchon and [REDACTED] to take Pohangdong with assistance from troops advancing from Andong (128-44, 36-34).
2. At 0340 hours [REDACTED] two North Korean regiments arrived in Kumchon (128-08, 36-06) with 75 trucks, 40 small and large tanks and 10 U.S. jeeps. At 1800 hours the same day approximately 1500 troops arrived in Kumchon. A NKPA captain announced that all troops in the Kumchon area were to attack Taegu.

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